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Docket No.
85773-323

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

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For: **METHOD, SYSTEM AND SIGNAL FOR CARRYING OVERHEAD INFORMATION IN A
TRANSPORT NETWORK EMPLOYING PHOTONIC SWITCHING NODES**

Enclosed are:

- ☐ Certificate of Mailing with Express Mail Mailing Label No.
- ☒ 13 sheets of drawings.
- ☐ A certified copy of a application.
- ☒ Declaration ☒ Signed. ☐ Unsigned.
- ☒ Power of Attorney
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Other: Assignment (X) Signed

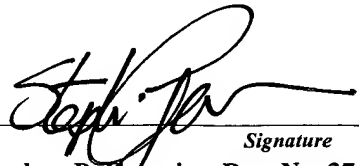
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